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In re Application of	:	
Carl Strathmeyer, et. al.	:	
Application No. 09/277,286	:	ON PETITION
Filed: March 26, 1999	:	
Attorney Docket No. 42390P8951	:	

This is a decision on the petition under 37 CFR 1.137(b), filed July 26, 2005, to revive the above-identified application.

The petition is **GRANTED**.

The application became abandoned for failure to reply to the non-final Office action mailed December 27, 2004.

The petition satisfies the requirements of 37 CFR 1.137(b) in that petitioner has supplied (1) the reply in the form of an amendment; (2) the petition fee of \$1,500; and (3) an adequate statement of unintentional delay.

The application file is being referred to Technology Center Art Unit 2642 for review of the amendment filed with the instant petition.

Telephone inquiries concerning this decision should be directed to the undersigned at (571) 272-3226.

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